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KEPT US OUT OF SUGAR

Alfred W. McCann, writing in the New York Globe, declares that the Wilson administration's sugar "blunder" has added ten million dollars directly to the cost of living for the American people. The Sugar Equalization board could have bought the Cuban sugar crop of four million tons at 6 1-2 cents per pound last August. President Wilson withheld his approval of the purchase. Finally the Cubans withdrew the offer and sold the sugar in Europe at an advanced price. Instead ap olicy of boasting by the Attorney General about reducing the cost of living was adopted, while living costs went upward. The lid has been taken off, and the Louisiana sugar planters have been permitted to charge 17 cents a pound. When the other sugar producers saw what is happening they joined in the carnival of profiteering.

NEW SCHEDULE ON MONONGAHELA RY.

Effective at 5:01 a. m., Sunday January 25th, 1920, the Monongahela Railroad changed time, and the following trains will be affected by this change:

Train No. 34, which, at present, leaves Brownsville at 1:15 p. m., will leave at 3:30 p. m., daily and operate through to Fairmont, W. Va., making all station stops, arriving at Fairmont at 6:25 p. m.

Train No. 37, which, at present leaves VanZant, Pa., 4:50 p. m., will start from Fairmont, W. Va., at 2:40 p. m., daily, making all stion stops, arriving in Brownsville at 5:35 p. m.

There will be no other changes in the passenger schedule, except that train No. 806 will arrive in Fairmon aat 12:45 p. m., instead of 12:40 p. m, and train No. 60 will arrive at that station at 9:45 p. m., instead of 9:43 p. m.

In connection with this change, flag stop on train No. 55 at Lock 13, Lock 11, and Granville, will be discontinued, and Poland will be added.

Stops at Radcliff, Lock 12, Lock 11, Granville, Randall, West VanVoorhis, Dilliner, Adah and East Rices Landing, will be discontinued on train No. 333; also all extra stops on Sundays.

In connection with train No. 806, there will be no change, except that Maxwell will be added as a flag stop.

Train No. 30, which, on present schedule, leaves Brownsville at 6:00 a. m., will, on new schedule, leave Brownsville at 6:30 a. m., and will turn at Grays Landing, instead of West Point Marion; train No. 33 will leave Grays Landing at 10:35 a. m., arriving at Brownsville at 11:50 a. m., instead of 11:45 a. m.

Administrators Notice.

Estate of George DeMarco, deceased late of the Borough of Charleroi, Pa.

Letters of Administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

Anthony DeMarco,
Administrator
Charleroi, Pa.

Roy I. Carson, Atty.
J-21-28-F-4-11-18-25

Administratrix Notice.

ESTATE OF DELILA JANE SNOW, deceased, late of Borough of Charleroi, Pa.

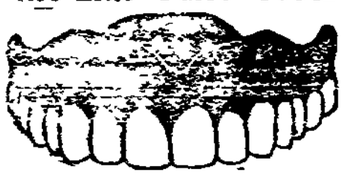
Letters of Administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims to present them for settlement.

Della Campbell, Administratrix
819 Fallowfield avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.

Roy I. Carson, Att'y.
J-28-F-14-11-18-25-M-3

Advertise your wants in the Classified column. It Pays.

Life-Like False Teeth



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Painless Extraction of Teeth—We have specially equipped extraction rooms for this work. We use two painless methods—one is a local anesthetic and the method known as Sweet Air, which is used by Vital Air or Sweet Air. By Vital Air or Sweet Air we can positively extract your teeth without a particle of pain. You will not know when the teeth are extracted.

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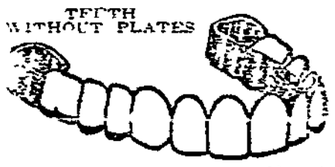

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Can be used wherever there are two or more sound teeth. It is absolutely reliable and very attractive.

The Family Dentists guarantee satisfaction in every reliable and up-to-date method. They repair broken sets of plates and make them over. Their low-fee prices are the best to be had anywhere.

Don't contract for dental work until you have visited this office. It will pay you to make the first visit the last.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

This is a Short Letter, but it Brings a Message of Importance to every Woman.

Woodford, Vt.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills before my child was born and it did wonderful work for me. My baby weighed eight and one-half pounds when born and I did not suffer many pains. You can publish this letter if you wish for I would not be without your medicine before child birth."—Mrs. JOHN LIBRINI, Woodford, Vt.

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VIM
TO THE ATTRACTIVE YOUNG GIRL
PUNCH
TO THE STURDY YOUNG FELLOW
ENERGY
TO THE BUSINESS MAN & WOMAN
HEALTH
TO THE MOTHER AT HOME
POWER
TO THE STRONG RUGGED FATHER
3,000,000 people use it as a Tonic, Strength and Blood-Builder

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CLUB ENTERTAINS FOR RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. Rudolph Schmidt was very easantly surprised last evening when members of the I. D. K. club, of which she is a member called at her home in Belle Vernon, and as a token of their esteem presented her with a handsome silver butter dish. Mrs. Schmidt before her marriage was Miss Adel Riva. The evening was passed pleasantly with social chat, tea and music. Miss Frances Martinet rendered piano solos in her usual pleasing manner; Miss Stella Gramati gave a reading, while Anthony Monack pleased with a cornet solo, accompanied by Mrs. Monack. At a late hour refreshments were served by the young ladies. Guests from Allenport, California and Roscoe were present.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE:Farm consisting of sixteen acres with six roomed house, good out buildings, including all stock and machinery and also four acres of coal on Monessen Brick Road. A. L. Dubinsky, Charleroi, Pa. 151tf

FOR SALE—To remove two buildings on Washington avenue and those interested may see S. L. Dubinsky, 413 Fallowfield avenue 184-tf

FOR SALE—Going to quit business. Two story frame building situated on Main street, Burgettstown, Pa., opposite Railroad station and Burgettstown National Bank. Stock consisting of chinaware, glassware, graniteware, tinware, sporting goods and kodacks. Toys, stationary and candies. Notions. 5 and 10c goods, etc. Newspapers route and maagazines. A. Valentour, Burgettstown, Pa 197-tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house and five lots between 9th and 10th on Meadow avenue. Inquire John Kubina. 928 Meadow avenue 197-t3-p

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car with extra motor transmission and generator. All it first class condition. Price $600 00. Apply to John Vezzeite, Sixth and Center, Lock No. 4 hill. 198-t5-p

FOR SALE—Lot at Allenwood. Inquire 199 Mail office. 199-t3-p

FOR SALE—VICTROLA. Almost new, finest condition, with several fine records. cost 80 dollars will sell for 50 dollars. Call evenings only. Coopers Grocery, Cor. McKean and Eighth street. 199-t3.

FOR SALE—Up-to-date dairy farm close to Monongahela.Pa. Good house and large barn. concrete floors. Equipped with all conveniences, two silos, dairy house, blacksmith shop, etc. Good gas well, young orchard, 65 acres clover and alfalfa. Ten acres wheat. Immediate possession including all crops. Buy direct from owner. J. C. Cowan, box 603 Monongahela, Pa. Bell Phone 531 ring 22. J-28-31-F-4-7.

WANTED—To do dressmaking by French Dress Maker. Alterations. 928 McKean avenue. Phone 106-R. Mrs. Doick. 191t9p

WANTED—Panel calendar pictures. Call local phone 285. 198-t3p

WANTED—Woman to sweep and clean house once a week. Inquire 719 Fallowfield avenue, between 5:30 and 6:30 p. m. 199tfp

A BARGAIN—4 living rooms, store room and garage, $1500 stock of groceries, etc. Gasoline pump and Ford Truck. Store doing $1000 business per month, situated on improved road near Charleroi. A bargain to a quick buyer. $4200. Bowers & Hall. 186-tf

LOST—Sunday morning, horse blanket. Finder please return to E. R. Sphar, Charleroi, Pa. 198-t5-p.

WANTED—A good cook at Charleroi-Monessen hospital. Apply to superintendent in person. 199t3

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Kills Colds and "Flu" Germs
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30 Tablets 25 Cents
AT ALL GOOD DRUG STORES

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Stop that weakening, persistent cough or cold, threatening throat or lung affections, with Eckman's Alterative, the tonic and upbuilder of 20 years' successful use. 50c and $1.50 bottles from druggists, or from ECKMAN LABORATORY, Philadelphia

FOR SALE

8 rooms annd store room Fallawfield Avenue $8500
7 rooms and four room in rear Fallowfield Avenue $5500
6 rooms, bath and Pantry, McKean Avenue $5000
6 rooms, Meadow Avenue ...$2100
7 rooms, Meadow Avenue $2900
6 rooms, brick house and store Room $4000
5 rooms and bath, Shady Ave...$3500
6 rooms and bath, Lock 4....$3900
3 lots, Lock No. 4 .....$750
8 room, bath, furnace and Reception Hall, a beautiful home on Crest Avenue $8000

MOODY'S REAL ESTATE
Cor. 5th and Fallowfield Avenue

Mens wool work socks, warm and durable 35c or three pairs for $1.00. Kirk & Clark. 195-eod:3

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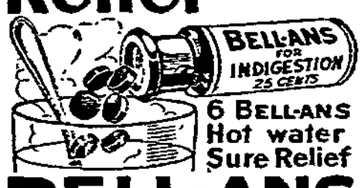
Does a dry cough keep you awake?
KEMP'S BALSAM
will stop the tickle that makes you cough.
GUARANTEED.

Sure Relief



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Hot water
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6 rooms, bath, Luella Ave..... 4000
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5 rooms, bath, Lock Four..... 3000
4 rooms, Shady Ave..... 2500
3 rooms, 2 acres, Maple creek.. 1400
5 rooms, 3-4 acres, Maple creek 3000
1 good building lot, Crest Ave. 1300
3 god building lots, Stockdale, Pa.

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Get the Genuine and Avoid Waste
Morgan's SAPOLIO Scouring Soap
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$1 GAS AND OIL STOCK, $1
One Dollar Per Share
20---WELLS---20

SUBJECT TO PREVIOUS SALE AND ADVANCE IN PRICE, I OFFER ANY PART OF 100,000 SHARES AT PAR VALUE. ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE. FINAL OFFERING

This company owns the famous Hamilton Lease, adjoining the Foster Stone House Well. This lease consists of four and two-thirds acres.

We also own the Amanda Foster Farm, of thirty acres, in Versailles Township.

Our No. 1 Well on the Hamilton Lease is now producing, and the gas therefrom has been turned into the lines of The CARNEGIE GAS COMPANY, who have contracted for the entire production of our No. 1 Well.

Our No. 2 Well is located eighty feet from the FAMOUS STONE HOUSE WELL, which is producing upwards of twenty million cubic feet per day.

Our No. 3 Well offsets the Philadelphia Company's well. Seventeen other wells have been contracted for by The Pittsburg Drilling Company, and will be drilled as fast as the rigs can be put up.

Being guided by our locations, so close to other Gushers, we have every reason for sincerely believing that all of our wells will 'come in" with gusher production.

One $150 share in the Foster-Brendel Well has averaged a return of $3,000 per month for the past four months.

This well is averaging $225.000 per month since it was "brought in" last September.

Other wells such as the Pitts Well, the Lamp-Auld Well, Dutcher No. 1, the Foster Stone House Well, and a score of others, are all earning enormous dividends for their stockholders.

The McKEESPORT CONSOLIDATED GAS & OIL COMPANY offers YOU this opportunity to "get in" on the ground floor. Decide now how many shares you want—fill in the subscription blank below and mail it in with your check. After February 1st, the price of this stock will be advanced to $1.25 per share.

D. A. FOSTER Personally Selected and Developed This Company's Leases
THE OFFICERS ARE:
THOMAS F. DEEGAN, President
BRIGHT SAGE, McKeesport, Vice President and General Manager.
A. D. STARRETT, Corapolis, Secretary and Treasurer.
These, together with De Vaux Reed, of McKeesport and R. W. Steel of the Pittsburg Drilling Company, compose the Directorate.
R. M. BALDRIDGE, Trustee, Union National Bank, McKeesport.

D. A. Grant,

Fiscal Agent
282 UNION ARCADE.
PITTSBURG, PA.

Subscriptions should be made immediately in order to secure stock at par. Fill in the coupon adjoining and mail at once. Make checks payable to D. A. Grant.

D. A. GRANT—
McKeesport Consolidated Gas & Oil Co.,
No. 382 Union Arcade, Pittsburg, Pa.

I hereby subscribe for ..... shares of McKeesport Consolidated Gas & Oil Co.'s stock at $1.00 per share for which I enclose check for $.....
Name .....
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City .....

—FOR SALE—

McKeesport Gas Stock

Two Wells to be drilled, contract-Let. Producing wells within 300 ft. One acre lease. Room for more wells.

Price---$50.00 Share

FOR PARTICULARS SEE

BOWERS & HALL

411 Fallowfield Ave., - - - Charleroi, Pa.
Bell phone 10-R - - - - - Local phone 10

January Clearance Sale

Ladies' Ready to Wear Garments. Take advantage of these prices. Buy now.

One lot of 15 Ladies' and Misses' Coats, formerly sold at $15, $16 to $19.50, January Clearance Sale Price **$13.50**

One lot of 19 Ladies' and Misses' Coats, good colors, formerly sold at $25, $30 to $35 January Clearance Price **$19.50**

One lot of 63 Ladies' and Misses' Coats. This is the cream of our entire stock. The most popular sellers. Formerly sold $45 and $48.50 January Clearance Price **$29.50**

One lot of 11 Ladies' and Misses' Coats. Our very best qualities in our entire stock. Formerly sold $69.50 and up **$39.50**

One lot Long Plush Coats. January Clearance Price **$22.50**

One lot Ladies' and Misses' Dresses, Serge and Jersey, January Clearance Sale Price **$13.75**

One lot of Ladies' and Misses' Dresses, in all colors. January Clearance Price **$19.50**

One lot Ladies' and Misses' Dresses. A very good assortment of our best selling dresses, and they all go. January Clearance Sale Price **$23.75**

One lot of Dresses—this lot is very exceptional bargains at the price. All good salable dresses of the best quality. January Clearance Sale Price **$29.50**

All our better Serge and Tricotine Dresses in our entire stock. January Clearance Price . . . . . **20% Off**

January Clearance Prices on all Men's Suits and Overcoats. Save from $10 to $15 by buying your suit or overcoat at our Clearance Sale prices.

J. W. Berryman & Son

Charleroi's Busy Store

CHIROPRACTOR

DR. M. D. GREENFIELD
CHARLEROI, PA.
210 Might Building
OFFICE HOURS
10 to 12; 2 to 5 ;7 to 8
Thursday Till Noon
Bell Telephone 98-W

FOR SALE

6 rooms and bath McKean	$6,000
5 rooms and bath Lincoln	$4,600.00
5 rooms Maple Creek	$2,000
20 room and two store rooms Fallowfield	$13,000
10 rooms Prospect Ave	$5,000
18 rooms Lookout Ave	$6,500
1 Lot Meadow Ave	$ 600
1 Lot Maple Creek	$ 350
Mercantile Building Fallowfield Avenue	$11,000
10 rooms Allenwood	$5,500
10 rooms Fallowfield Ave	$3,300

Inquire about our lots in Charleroi and adjoining Charleroi.

A. L. DUBINSKY,
413 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

New Dress Ginghams, all he best makes in a wide variety of styles and colorings. Kirk & Clark. 195eodt3

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600 Shares - Capital $60,000

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SAFE, SOUND, SURE—Not a Gass or a Wildcat, we have it. Remember gas is being produced from the very ground we will drill on, it is not a gamble. The ground has been proven by others. You can share in the harvest. Think of your income when these wells come in and the wealth that goes with it. Not a town lot proposition. One acre of ground.

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This is a house concern and you know the men back of it.

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Charleroi, Pa.

P. J. Burke, Trustee
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$200 to $400 May Make You a Fortune. Play the Big Game on Small Capital.

GET IN ON THE GROUND FLOOR

The Real Ground Floor.—Own a Lease. You are then sole owner and proprietor. Medina, Uvalde and Kinney Counties in Southwest Texas are now receiving the close attention of the big oil companies. Shallow oil has been found in each county and the deep gusher wells surely expected by experienced oil men will make this section the next big oil sensation.

Get in ahead of the drill. Five year commercial leases with certificates of title for only $5 00 per acre. It is the cheapest, safest and best speculation you can find today.

The great and rapidly increasing drilling activity in this territory may at any time increase the price of these leases many times that quoted today. ACT PROMPTLY.

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$150 investments have been returning an income of $5,000 a month—$250 investments yielding $4,000 a month—and $500 investments in the McKeesport Gas Fields have been yielding $12,000 a month into the pockets of the men who had the courage to invest $500.
Your map is waiting your interest—it's free. Write today.

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338 FOURTH AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PA.

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This Home Company owns outright a plot of ground on the Webster-Pricedale Road in the famous "TURKEY HOLLOW" vicinity.

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BOOKS WILL BE OPEN FOR STOCK SUBSCRIPTIONS, THURSDAY, JAN. 23, 1920

AT THE OFFICE OF PAUL R. NUTT, J. P. No. 435 McKEAN AVE. - - CHARLEROI, PA.

—CALL—

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Or See the Promoters

J. Rousseau, Monessen, Pa. H. S. NUTT, Charleroi, Pa.
J. T. McHUGH, Charleroi, Pa.

Use the Classified Columr of The Mail and you will get satisfactory results.

THE CYCLE OF SUCCESS

EARNING—efficiently and perfecting oneself always to be worthy of greater compensation.

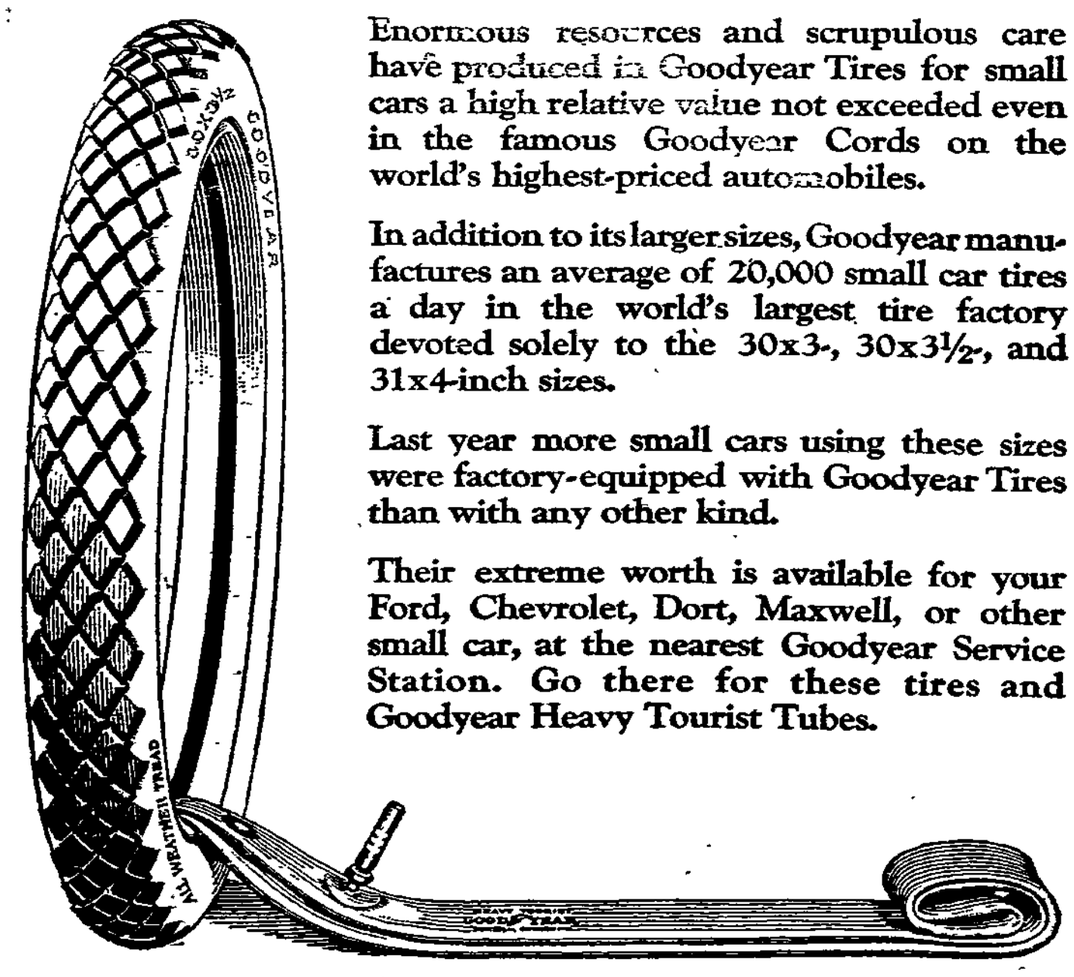
SPENDING—judiciously, discriminating carefully between necessities and luxuries.

SAVING—sensibly, to strengthen will-power, inspire confidence and further progress.

INVESTING—wisely, in the Certificates of Deposit of this bank which are safe, interest bearing and readily negotiable.

BANK OF CHARLEROI
Charleroi, Pennsylvania

Goodyear Leadership— and Tires for Small Cars



Enormous resources and scrupulous care have produced in Goodyear Tires for small cars a high relative value not exceeded even in the famous Goodyear Cords on the world's highest-priced automobiles.

In addition to its larger sizes, Goodyear manufactures an average of 20,000 small car tires a day in the world's largest tire factory devoted solely to the 30x3-, 30x3½-, and 31x4-inch sizes.

Last year more small cars using these sizes were factory-equipped with Goodyear Tires than with any other kind.

Their extreme worth is available for your Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell, or other small car, at the nearest Goodyear Service Station. Go there for these tires and Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes.

30x3½ Goodyear Double-Cure Fabric, All-Weather Tread $20.00

30x3½ Goodyear Single-Cure Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread $17.65

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are built to protect casings. Why endanger a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30x3½ size *in waterproof bag* $3.90

GOODYEAR

Claybaugh-Milliken

Remodeling Sale

The Greatest Money-Saving Opportunity on Shoes Ever Offered the People of Charleroi

Sale Starts
THURSDAY
Jan. 29th
AT
9 o'clock
CLOSES MON.
FEBRUARY 9th
10 DAYS ONLY

We must reduce our stock to prepare for the workmen before February 10th, hence it becomes necessary for us to adopt drastic measures and reduce prices to a point that would be business folly were we not compelled to have these goods out of the way by February 10th. When you stop to think of the dirt and dust made by carpenters, painters, and other workmen you will realize it is better for us to sacrifice our stock.

We urge you in all earnestness to buy early at this sale as never before or ever again will you be able to purchase such wonderful values at so little money.

These prices are doubly attractive as Shoes for Spring are from $2 to $4 a pair higher than Fall prices. Now buy early and secure the size and style you like best.

Store Closed
Wed., Jan 28TH
To Arrange Stock
For This
GREAT SALE
Opens
Thursday Morning
Jan. 29th, 9 o'clock

➤ Remember the Sale Lasts 10 Days Only ➤

$2.98 Boys' and Girls' $3.50 to $5.00 Shoes. Odd pairs and discontinued lines at **$2.98**

69c Women's $1.00 and $1.25 Rubbers. Few pairs of children's. Discontinued lines now selling at **69c**

$1.69 Women's Felt Slippers in all styles. Worth $2.25. Now selling at **$1.69**

NOTICE

No Sale Shoes to be charged, exchanged, or returned. We will have plenty of experienced salespeople to fit and wait upon you in a careful manner. Come early before your size is sold.

$1.69

Women's Overgaiters or Spats in all the desired shades and styles. Perfect fitting high top patterns. Get a pair of these Spats to wear with your Spring low shoes.
At this sale

$1.69

$3.98. Misses' and Children's $5.00 to $7.00 Shoes. Broken lines and odd pairs Real bargains at **$3.98**

$3.98. Boys' Tan Lace Dress Shoes, worth $5.00 a pair. Now **$3.98**

$1.89. Children's $2.25 to $3.00 Shoes in patent or plain leather. Sizes 1 to 8, at **$1.98**

Women's Shoes

$10.98. Ladies' $15.00 and $16.00 Shoes in tan lace, Cuban heel. Grey suede high covered heel, tan calf and patent leather with covered tops. Very best styles at ... **$10.98**

$8.98. Ladies' $12.00 to $14.00 Tan Lace Shoes, high and low heels. New styles. All sizes and widths. Come early and secure your size at **$8.98**

$4.39. Ladies' $7.00 to $9.00 Shoes in black and tan leathers. Odd pairs and discontinued lines. While they last **$4.39**

$6.89. Ladies' $10.00 to $12.00 Shoes in tan or black. High and low heels. All sizes in some styles, others in odd pairs. See rack in store for odd pairs. Remodeling sale **$6.89**

$8.98. Ladies' $13.00 patent leather shoes with colored tops. Button and lace high heels at **$8.98**

$3.98. Ladies' $8.00 to $10.00 Patent leather shoes, button and lace styles, plain toes Louis heels, Cuban heels at **$3.98**

Truly Wonderful Bargains

$4.39
Women's $8.00 to $9.00 Grey Kid Shoes
High and low heels at
$4.39

$2.39
Women's $3.00 to $5.00 Shoes
All kinds
Sizes 2 to 6 at
$2.39

$8.98
Women's $15.00 Grey and Field Mouse Shoes
Wood covered heels
The season's smartest,
All sizes at
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$6.89
Women's $10 to $12 Grey Kid & Field Mouse Shoes. New styles
French and Cuban heels.
All sizes and widths at
$6.89

See Our Windows

Men's Shoes

$6.98. Men's dress shoes worth $10.00 to $12.00. Some styles in all sizes others in odd lots displayed on rack in store. While they last **$6.98**

$9.98. Men's $16.00 Shoes. A black kid leather lined and English lace in black and tan style. Remodeling sale price .. **$9.98**

$8.98. Men's fine Shoes worth $12.00 to $15. All new shoes. Some styles in all sizes and widths others in smal lots. See rack in store. Remodeling Sale Price **$8.98**

$4.98. Men's $6.50 and $7.00 Shoes in Tan and Black. Very good values at **$4.98**

Men's Leather House Slippers, odd pairs will be closed out at 98c and $1.98.

All Men's and Boys' High Cut Shoes at reduced prices.

Claybaugh-Milliken

419 McKean Avenue **"REAL SHOE MEN"** **Charleroi, Penn'a.**

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VOLUME XX—NO. 199 CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1920 TWO CENTS

"FLU" MAKES ITS APPEARANCE IN THIS SECTION OF THE VALLEY

Donora Reports 20 Cases of the Trouble and One Death

TWO CASES ALSO IN MONESSEN

The "flu" has made its appearance in this section of the Monongahela valley, although according to Dr. Hunter of the local board of health, it has not yet invaded the corporate limits of Charleroi.

On Monday two cases of the malady were reported in Monongahela and in Monessen two more reported on Tuesday. Donora has a mild epidemic of the malady, twenty cases being reported so far, with one death, a seven-year-old boy reported on Tuesday.

According to reports from physicians the malady is not as virulent as it was last winter, all of the cases being milder than when the epidemic made its appearance here. However, this fact should not cause people to be negligent in taking care of colds, because the trouble often starts in this way.

Dr. J. W. Hunter of the local board of health this morning said the malady might appear in Charleroi before the winter was over, bct only general precautions have been taken so far to combat the trouble should it appear in the community. The people can do much in the way of keeping the disease out of the town by careful regulations, keeping close watch for any symptoms which might be suspicious, and at the same time keeping all premises in a sanitary condition.

In the larger cities where the flu is now prevailing, although large numbers of cases have been reported, the trouble is not as fatal as it was in the fall of 1918, when so many people died from its ravages. There is nothing alarming in the re-appearance of the trouble, as that has been the history of every epidemic in the past. Several years ago when the influenza made its first appearance it reaped a heavy toll in the way of human lives, but in the succeeding years, after physicians had learned how to combat its ravages, the malady was handled easily by the medical profession and but few deaths resulted. This will likely be the history of the "flu," but this is no reason why any of our people should take chances. The rule should be "safety first." The local board of health is keeping in close touch with the situation and will be ready on short notice to take the necessary steps to prevent its spread in this community should it make its appearance here.

Notice P. H. C. Members

All desiring to take the trip to Brownsville February 3rd please be present at meeting Friday, January 30th.

Order of Committee

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BODIES RECOVERED AT LOCK NO. THREE

The body of William Parrish, carpenter, was recovered at Lock Three late Monday evening, and that of Capt. Jesse Virgin on Tuesday afternoon, both of these men being victims when the coffer dam broke at that place last Thursday afternoon. The body of Capt. Virgin, badly mangled, was found after the derrick boat had been raised. It was under the boat which sank when the coffer dam gave way.

WORKERS PROTEST RAISE IN FARES

Advances of the bus fares between Monessen and Donora are said to be responsible for a petition now being prepared for the P. & L. E. railway company asking that a special train from Webster to Monesasen be put on each morning, with a return train in the evening. Donora men who work in Monessen say it is hoped the arrangements can be made, as the raise in fares is a hardship on the workers traveling between towns.

It is also stated that the Pittsburg Steel company is planning to use auto trucks to transport its men from Donora to Monessen. The bus fares were recently raised from 15 to 25 cents, with special rate on ten-trip ticket books.

Since the end of the steel strike there have been many more workingmen traveling between the two points than ever before.

WANT "HORSESHOE" ROAD IMPROVED

A delegation composed of Dr. J. Add Sprowls and Burgess H. A. Cox of Donora, A. N. Shuster and Carey L. Schuck of Monessen, and Senator Joseph A. Herron of Monongahela, left for Harrisburg last night, to have a conference today with State Highway Commissioner Sadler with reference to the improvement of the State highway between Monongahela and North Charleroi. The delegation will endeavor to impress upon the state highway department the necessity of the improvement of this stretch of highway, which would make such a desirable connecting link between the upper and lower valley. In view of the fact that the county commissioners have the Finleyville-Library road on the program for resurfacing this year, the improvement of the roadway between North Charleroi and Monongahela becomes a matter of greater importance than ever.

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Local High Break Their Losing Streak, Defeat Munhall

Tuesday night at the high school gym, the Charleroi High basket ball team defeated Munhall High in a very closely contested game. The score was so close during the entire game that the outcome was always doubtful.

The first quarter ended with the score 9 to 8 in the visitors' favor. The second quarter saw no change in the locals' fortunes, the score going 16-11, with Munhall on the long end. In the third quarter the locals forged ahead, but in the last few minutes of play the visitors evened the score. Then Daniels sewed up the game with a goal from the center of the floor.

The game was marked by the goal shooting of Daniels, who caged seven, many of them from mid-floor, and by the playing of Groff for the visitors, who although small in stature, was fast and surprisingly good at goal shooting.

A large number of "fans" came out for the game, and it looks as if the old-time spirit is returning to the high school. The line-up:

Charleroi—25		Munhall—23
Stevens	F	Ferguson
Watson	F	Groff
Daniels	C	Lasday
Brown	G	Meir
Webster	G	Matheson

Goals—Daniels 7, Stevens; Ferguson 2, Lasday 2, Groff. Fouls—Webster 9 out of 19; Ferguson 11 out of 21. Referee, Beard. Scorer, Miller. Timekeeper, Daniel.

NEW OFFICERS FOR THE GUILD

The Westminster Guild of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Helen Hill on Washington avenue, and the meeting was called to order by the President, Miss Bess Richey. The report of the cabinet concerning the financial report for the year was discussed and adopted. The nominating committee made a report and the following officers were elected for the next year:

President—Miss Bess Richey.
Vice President—Miss Grace Gelder.
Secretary—Miss Helen Fleming.
Treasurer—Miss Sophia Michner.
Pianist—Mrs. Gray Gaut.
Temperance superintendent—Miss Robina Gunderman.

The program was unique, every member having a part in the same. Miss Nell Ryland led the discussion, assisted by Miss Mable Parker, and missions in Siam and the Philippines were discussed. Miss Blanche Allison sang a solo, being accompanied by Miss Bethel Bowman. The hostesses of the evening were the Misses Helen Hill, Mildred Sanders and Florence Kellogg.

"HEARTS OF THE WORLD"

A new and revised edition of D. W. Griffith's big production, "Hearts of the World," one of the pronounced successes of the Griffith repertory season in New York, where it achieved a triumph equal to that of "The Fall of Babylon" and "The Mother and the Law", has been secured as the special attraction at the Majestic Theatre, 2 days only, Thursday and Friday. Special music

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NO AUDIENCE TO HOLD A MEETING

William Feeney, Jacob McGinley and John Brown, whose activities in the valley during the past few months in Labor circles have been closely followed, are running up against obstacles in every form in their efforts to "educate the workingmen." McGinley had sent word broadcast that he would hold his first meeting in Donora on Friday evening last, but failed first to secure a hall. When the time came for his meeting he discovered that not only was admission to the hall not forthcoming but in addition Burgess Cox had issued a warning to "keep away from that city."

McGinley then called Feeney into conference, and with Brown they planned to hold the meeting Saturday evening in the Slovak hall, on Meldon avenue, Donora. The trio went to the hall to await the masses but none put in their appearance and Andrew Sasko, steward at the hall, politely informed the men that they must get out as he was about to lock up. That ended the attempt at that time to hold a public meeting of the workingmen of that section.

HEALTH OFFICER DARBY IS ABLE TO BE OUT

Health Officer William M. Darby was able to return to his office today for the first time in seven weeks, having been confined to his home all that time with an attack of pneumonia and complications. Officer Darby was stricken in his office on the 11th day of December, and for many days was a very sick man, but his friends are glad to know that he has so far recovered as to be able to be around again. He does not expect to return to work until about the middle of the coming month, Constable Corey in the meantime looking after the work of the office.

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WILL ARRANGE PROGRAM FOR CONVENTION TO BE HELD HERE

RECOVERS FROM SEVERE INJURIES

Miss Elizabeth Christmas, probation officer of the Washington county juvenile court, and well known in Charleroi, is able to be at her office again, having about recovered from the effects of a severe fall which she sustained at Elrama about ten days ago.

The Kensington will meet tomorrow afternoon in the basement of the Lutheran church. 199-t1

MISSING BEER IS NOT YET FOUND

Government agents investigating the mysterious disaappearance of 78 cases of real beer in Monongahela on the night of the 16th of January, say they have located twenty cases, and hope to locate quite a number of others before their search is concluded. The incident has caused quite a sensation in Monongahela, and there appears to be some disposition to place the blame for the disappearance of the beer on the two night officers in that city. It is alleged they told the drivers that they would see to the safety of the truck and its load, and now it is contended that this makes them liable.

However, Mayor Allen, who gave the officers a hearing, says that no evidence has been offered thus far to show that the men are in any way responsible for the loss of the booze, and further, that he will not allow the policemen to be "railroaded."

It is intimated thaat well known men of the town are implicated in the "absence" of these 78 cases of "real" beer, but whether the investigation now under way will amount to anything is a question. Officers have been investigating for a week, and so far nothing has been made public. Whether it will be continued any further is a question, but in the meantime the beer is conspicuous by its absence.

Ex-Service Men—Attention!

Through the $2,000.00 appropriated by the National War Work Council, Y. M. C. A., for educational purposes, Ex-Service men in Washington County are now given an opportunity to register for Agricultural, Commercial, Correspondence or Collegiate Scholarships.

No examinations required. Scholarships effective February 1, 1920.

For application blanks and information apply to J. W. Moninger, Secretary Y. M .C. A., Washington, Pa. 198-t1-*

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Committee Appointed At Mid-Year Conference of S. S. Association

WILL BE HELD NEXT JUNE

At the mid-year conference of the Washington County Sabbath School Association, held at Washington, a committee composed of Rev. Paul G. Miller of the Hill church, near Canonsburg, Miss Frances Cooper, Monongahela; Dr. Fred Stahlman, Charleroi; Rev. E. A. Cole, Washington; Mrs. Naomi Ewing, Monongahela; Mrs. Joseph N. Heagen, Canonsburg, and Rev. Harry Riddle, of West Alexander, was appointed by the county president, George Kunkelman, to arrange a program for the county convention of the Association, which will be held in Charleroi this coming June.

Quite a number of delegates were in attendance at the meeting, and a number of helpful addresses were delivered, this being particularly true of the address of Rev. Murray C. Reiter, of Bridgeville, a former president of the association, his topic being "An Accounting." Another speaker of the afternoon was John C. Silsley of Greensburg, on "Task of Administration."

At the evening session it was decided to adopt the financing plan suggested by Martin F. Beatty, of Erie, state field worker, who was present at the conference. His plan calls for a county chairman, secretary, treasurer, secretary and publicity man. At strategetic points the county district chairmen will be named, who will choose for each district five team captains, each of whom is to have under him nine others as team members. Thus it is thought the canvass will practically cover the county.

COUNTY TAX LEVY MAY BE 7 MILLS

At a meeting of the county commissioners and county controller held at Washington on Tuesday, the budget for the county expenses for the year 1920 was considered. The budget was prepared by County Controller T. J. Underwood, and it is understood provides for several additional expenses, such as $100,000 for road maintenance and $50,000 for bridge maintenance. This is in addition to the regular expenditures for additional roads and bridges.

This means that the taxes will have to be increased, and it is understood that the rate for the year will be about seven mills. The rate for 1919 and for several years past was 4 3-4 mills. The commissioners have not yet acted on the budget.

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